

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in this application.

Listing of Claims

Claim 1 (currently amended): An interlabial pad ~~with a size capable of being inserted between female labia without forcing~~, comprising:

a main sheet body ~~composed of~~ comprising a water permeable surface sheet facing a body side and a water permeable ~~or non-permeable backing~~ side-sheet facing an opposite side of the body side, ~~the main sheet body containing an absorbent body for absorbing body liquid, the absorbent body being enclosed by and between the surface sheet and the back side sheet, the surface sheet and the backing side-sheet being bonded to sandwich a first absorber for absorbing body fluid~~ each other; and

a sub-sheet body ~~composed of~~ comprising a water permeable surface sheet positioned at the body side and a water permeable or non-permeable backing side-sheet facing a clothes-garment side, ~~the sub-sheet body containing an absorbent body for absorbing liquid, the absorbent body being enclosed by and between the surface sheet and the back side sheet, the surface sheet and the backing side-sheet being bonded to sandwich a second absorber for absorbing body fluid~~ each other;

wherein the main sheet body and the sub-sheet body are substantially the same width when bonded,

wherein said ~~the~~ main sheet body comprises an elongated convex area formed along the longitudinal direction of the surface ~~side-sheet~~ so that a substantial center area of the surface sheet in a lateral direction is formed convex towards the body side, and

wherein the main sheet body and the sub sheet body are bonded at each longitudinal side edge in the longitudinal direction, and an inside of the long convex area is not bonded.

Claim 2 (canceled).

Claim 3 (currently amended): An interlabial pad according to claim 1;
~~wherein the main sheet body and the sub-sheet body are bonded at each longitudinal side edge; and~~
~~wherein the convex area has at least either sleeve portion~~one opening along in the lateral direction is non-bonded; and
~~wherein the opening of the convex area the no-bonded sleeve portion~~ comprises a sleeve opening that forms a finger insertion opening into which a finger is inserted.

Claim 4 (currently amended): An interlabial pad according to claim 3;
~~wherein the main sheet body comprises further comprising a plurality of main sheet bodies, each of which are bonded together at each longitudinal side edge and at least either sleeve portion but not bonded in the lateral direction is non-bonded so as to form a finger insertion opening, in to~~ which a finger can be inserted.

Claim 5 (currently amended): An interlabial pad according to claim 1; further comprising a mini sheet piece fixed on the backing side-sheet facing a garment side of the sub-sheet in the clothes side, the mini sheet piece forming a finger insertion opening between the back side sheet and the mini sheet piece.

Claim 6 (currently amended): An interlabial pad according to claim 1; wherein the long convex area ~~is composed of~~includes a bent portion formed by bending the main sheet body.

Claim 7 (currently amended): An interlabial pad according to claim 1;
wherein the long convex area is formed with a shorter ~~top~~-length at the top of the convex area than a ~~bottom~~-length at the bottom of the convex area in the longitudinal direction; and
wherein ~~the sleeve openings of the convex area are~~ is formed having with both faces of the convex side edges sloped from the top to the bottom to a top.

Claim 8 (currently amended): An interlabial pad according to claim 1,
wherein the long convex area has a substantially triangular ~~longitudinal~~lateral cross section.

Claim 9 (currently amended): An interlabial pad according to claim 1, wherein a ~~longitudinal~~lateral cross sectional area of the long convex area in the lateral direction is at least 1 cm².

Claim 10 (currently amended): An interlabial pad as claimed in claim 1;
wherein a ~~longitudinal~~lateral cross sectional area of the long convex area ~~becomes~~
~~substantially continuously decreases~~ as the area is taken from one end to the other end along the longitudinal direction.

Claim 11 (currently amended): An interlabial pad according to claim 1;
wherein the interlabial pad is ~~a sanitary napkin coexisting interlabial pad that is used~~
together with a sanitary napkin.

Claim 12 (previously amended): An interlabial pad according to claim 1;
wherein the interlabial pad comprises an incontinent-interlabial pad for incontinence.

Claim 13 (previously amended): An interlabial pad according to claim 1;
wherein the interlabial pad comprises a vaginal-discharge interlabial pad for absorbing vaginal discharge.

Claim 14 (previously amended): An wrapping body comprising a wrapping container containing the interlabial pad of claim 1;
wherein the interlabial pad is contained in the wrapping container for individual wrapping.

Claim 15 (withdrawn): A wrapping body comprising a wrapping container containing interlabial pad of claim 3;
wherein the interlabial pad is contained for individual wrapping in an orthogonal direction to the wrapping container.

Claim 16 (withdrawn): A wrapping body comprising a wrapping container containing the interlabial pad of claim 3,

wherein an tear-opening portion of the container is indicated by a picture or a character.

wherein the main sheet body and the sub-sheet body are substantially the same width when bonded, the main sheet body comprises an elongated convex area formed along the longitudinal direction of the surface sheet so that a substantial center area of the surface sheet in a lateral direction is formed convex towards the body side, the main sheet body and the sub sheet body are bonded at each longitudinal side edge in the longitudinal direction, and an inside of the long convex area is not bonded, the convex area has at least one opening along the lateral direction, and the opening of the convex area comprises a sleeve opening that forms a finger insertion opening to which a finger is inserted.